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MINER'S BAY POLLUTION REPORTED SERIOUS



Pictured above is Leon Wright of the Kinvale Inn at Kinmount with Sky-man Bob Carter just before his jump at the Kinmount Fair last Saturday which landed him precariously on top of a tree. Bob Carter was uninjured although a little annoyed by the landing!

New Minden Switchboard

COST \$3,500

NEW SWITCHBOARD NEARS COMPLETION

The new switchboards that will provide four positions for operators in Minden are nearing completion stated Secretary Manager Earle Casey, of Dysart Municipal Telephone system. "The cable extensions have been completed", said Mr. Casey, "and when we have all the work done it will provide more room for subscribers and when will need fewer party lines."

Total cost of the work which is being undertaken by the Thamesville Telephone Engineering Company is in the region of \$3,500.

Mr. Casey also disclosed that Maple Lake will get a dial sy-

stem next year. "I expect it will be a \$40,000 job", he stated. At present only West Guilford has the dial telephone installed. The new work in Minden will be the first step to the eventual introduction of a dial system in Minden. At present most of the equipment works on the common-battery system.

The Dysart Municipal Telephone system which has offices in Minden, Haliburton, Maple Lake, West Guilford and Wilberforce employees about 48 full and part-time workers and may add more operators in Minden later. The company has assets of about half a million dollars and the system connects with the Bell telephone system at Fenelon Falls.

Lutterworth Petition

Ratepayers Petition
Lutterworth Council

A petition signed by about sixty people was handed to Lutterworth council on Wednesday Sept. 6th at a meeting held at Lutterworth Central School. The petition asked the council to declare the beach at Sandy Bay a public beach and not to lease it to the cottage owners as was suggested at an earlier council meeting. There has been friction between the cottage owners and the local residents ever since July when two people were charged with assault after a disturbance occurred on the beach. The area that the petitioners would like to be made into public beach is township road allowance. Two weeks ago posts were driven into the ground by some person to prevent cars from pulling off the side of the road but these were removed by the township road superintendent on council's orders. A large number of the people that signed the petition were either youngsters or people who are not ratepayers in the township.

BIG DOUBLE CATCH

Warren Reynolds who is frequently seen fishing on Honrseshoe Lake and Mountain Lake took his wife Ruth fishing in Newfoundland recently. They report a double catch in one day. A Bluefin Tuna weighing 495 pounds was landed in one hour and 32 minutes later another at 445 pounds boated in one hour and 17 minutes.

Members of the Miner's Bay-Gull Lake Association at a meeting held recently received an alarming report on the quality of the waters in Miner's Bay.

This group of property owners have an appointed member whose duty it is to take frequent samples of water from various parts of Gull Lake and send them to the Provincial Department of Health for analysis.

The lake in general appears to be fairly good but over the past several years the quality of the water in Miner's Bay is reported to have deteriorated to such an extent that if the present rate of pollution continues, in about three years time this delightful area will be unfit even for bathing, the meeting was informed.

Samples taken near one bathing area showed a count of 240 Coli. B present.

Strangely enough, the main fault appears to lie with the commercial organizations, the one place where their very livelihood depends on clean, pure water.

It appears that no attention is given to inspection of sanitary facilities in Lutterworth by local authorities and it is believed that the association plans to take the matter up with the Provincial Department of Health.



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Mother: "You stupid child! But then you're not to blame. You're father's family are all the same."

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GOLFING—At Beaverbrook Golf Course in Minden

GO-KART RACING — at Doward Johnson's Go-Kart Track, just south of Minden.

—At Rowden's Go-Kart Track, Carnarvon.

MOVIES — First-run movies at the **Beaver Theatre in Minden** (every day including Sundays) and six days a week at the **Molou Theatre in Haliburton.**

BINGO — Every Thursday evening at the **KINSMEN BINGO** in the Community Hall. \$1,000 Jackpot Game.

DANCING — Medley's Dancing — Every Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, Carnarvon

Golden Slipper - Haliburton

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Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Deacon and daughters, Barbara, Patsy and Suzanne, Minden, Mrs. Alice McMillan and daughter Helen, Mrs. Elva Brown and son Claire, Mrs. Hazel VanValkenberg and Mrs. Margaret Brown, all of Lindsay. Daughter (Olive) Mrs. Archie Jewell of Kirkfield was unable to attend.

Minden Progress extends good wishes too for many more happy years together.

Austen-Wilson Nuptials

The marriage took place on August 17, at 1.30 p.m. of Myrna Jean Wilson of Belwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Wilson of Belwood to L. Cpl. Harry Edgar Austen of 1 RCR, Soest, Germany, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh E. Austen of Minden. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. E. Darrock in St. Mark's Anglican Church, Fort York.

The bride wore a gown of white nylon organza over taffeta with fitted basque bodice and short, softly shirred sleeves. Lace appliques dusted lanced the fabric neckline and border of lace appliques trimmed the bouffant skirt.

A cluster of peralized lily of the valley and net leaves held her four tiered scalloped

veil of silk illusion. She was given in marriage by Russell Smith of Soest. Mrs. Lorraine Smith was matron of honour in a sheath dress of forget-me-not blue silk organza with a handkerchief drop overskirt. The best man was Gordon Crouse of Fort York, formerly of Kitchener. A reception was held at the Gasthoff, a three-tiered wedding cake which had been beautifully decorated by Sgt. Dart of Fort York centered the bride and groom's table. On Friday, August 16 a German civil wedding ceremony was performed by the mayor of Soest. The young couple plan a vacation in Holland and Switzerland in November. They will reside in a village near Soest where the groom is stationed with NATO troops.

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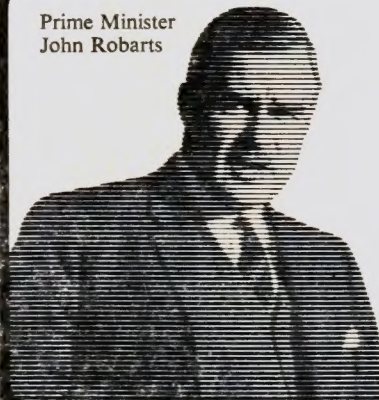
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- 10 **Vigorous leadership**—a measure of good political leadership is the ability to get things done for the people quickly and wisely. John Roberts' administration is for you.

Prime Minister
John Roberts



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EDITORIALS

VANDALISM IN THE PARKS

The Department of Highways each year spends a lot of money, time and effort to supply the transient day-by-day visitors to the area and the local people with picnic tables, garbage disposal containers and toilet facilities. These small parks and roadside stop-overs are maintained by the Department for the convenience and benefit of everyone. Most people enjoy these areas and respect the privilege of using them. However there are some persons who do not and they go out of their way to be destructive. In the past, trash barrels have been dumped over and garbage strewn all about the place; outhouses tipped over and more recently at Buttermilk Falls picnic tables have been dumped into the waterways on two different occasions. Whoever the people are that are responsible, whether young or old, local or visitors, doesn't really matter, but to ruin the enjoyment of many thousands of other people does. The infantile action of these vandals cannot be tolerated.

IRRESPONSIBLE JERKS

The time has come for a sharp crackdown on the drivers (mostly teenage) who race around town, squeal their tires at every corner, drag race or tailgate. These irresponsible youths that roar through the town late at night apparently do it to show off, to impress upon their friends how mature they are.

Where abuse of a motor vehicle like this is concerned, police should crack down because the consequences of such abuse can be most serious — resulting in injury, property damage or even death.

Recently Magistrate K. M. Langdon of Milton lashed out at "irresponsible youths in cars" and said nobody under 21 should be allowed to drive without passing a special stiff driving test.

We agree. They should have a very stiff driving test and an intelligence test too. The second test would probably show that these drivers don't have any.

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LETTERS

Dear Sir,

Congratulations on your wonderful little paper. It's tops in my books. Try and keep it the way it is because it will be spoiled if it becomes citified.

Marge Stringer

x x x

Dear Sir,

My sincere thanks for the wonderful help you accorded my niece and nephew in thanking the people of Minden. The donation of the space is also much appreciated.

We were impressed with the impact of the Minden Progress. The same material was sent to other papers from which we had relatively little comment to indicate that the message had registered as my niece and nephew had hoped. In contrast, when the Minden Progress hit the street the results were electric and instant with actually dozens of people stopping me and saying they had seen the note of thanks in your paper. To me, it was evidence of both high readership as well as "action" impact.

Your editorial comment is superlative and your writers deserve much praise. The biographies are comparable — if shorter naturally — to Pete Martens in the Saturday Evening Post: bright, terse and factual. I think Minden is quietly proud of your efforts. Our best wishes for the continued progress of the Minden Progress.

Sincerely,
JACK BINGHAM
and relatives

TO THE TEACHER

The Teacher is a Prophet: he lays the foundation of tomorrow.

The Teacher is an Artist: he works with the precious clay of unfolding life.

The Teacher is a Friend: his heart responds to the faith and devotion of his students.

The Teacher is a Citizen: He is selected, trained, and licensed for the improvement of society.

The Teacher is a Believer: he has an abiding faith in the improvable of the human race. Contributed by Miss Mae N. Burris of Horseshoe Lake.

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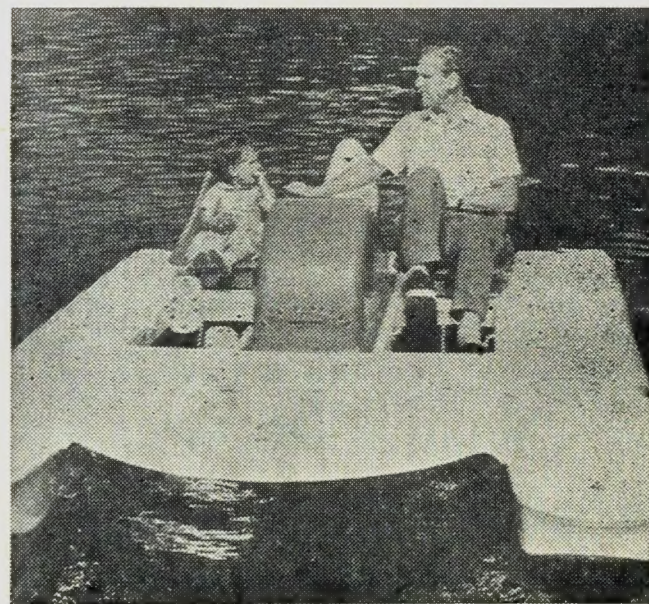
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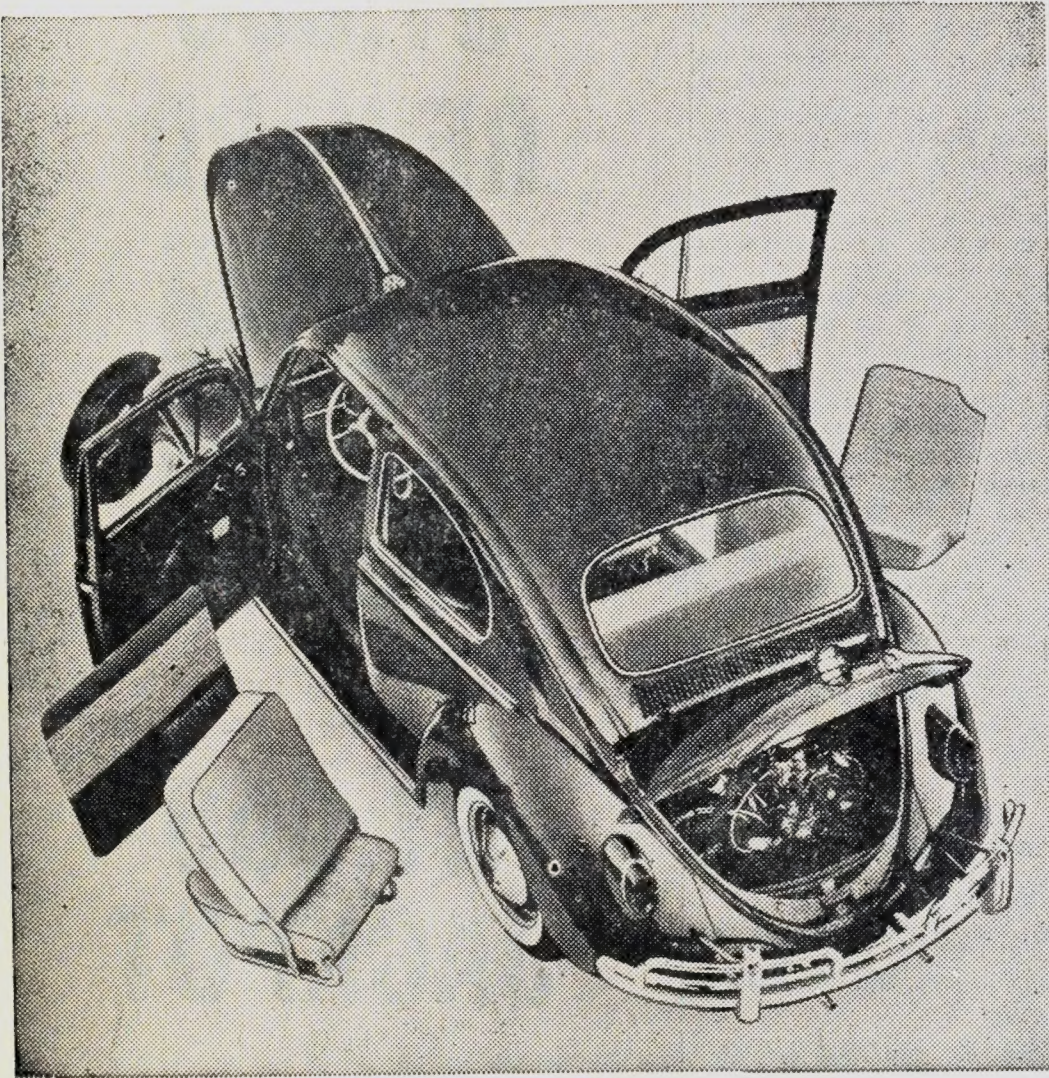
A small European car suffered \$1,300 damage and a passenger in the vehicle sustained a sprained right arm when the car went out of control at the top of a steep hill and flipped

four times, coming to rest on all four wheels.

Klaus Dieter Stauch, 20 of 43 Anaconda Drive, Scarborough, driver of the vehicle told police that he had swerved to avoid a small animal in his path and lost control at the top of a hill on Highway 519 about two miles south of Haliburton.

Police said that the passenger in the vehicle a 15-year-old girl, Audrun Stauch suffered a sprained right arm.

Police said that Mr. Stauch was charged with careless driving. Constable Elliot of Minden detachment OPP investigated.



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'Twas when father departed and in moved son.

Said the tree to the woodsman spare not thine axe,
I've no will to shelter political compacts.
Swing low, cut deep, chop me right down,
My once cheerful countenance now wears a frown.

Aye, said the woodsman, a tear in his eye,
'Tis no easy fate you would have me apply
But in matters of politics I really must declare,
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WARP and WOOF

Woo Geld Iss, Iss Der Teu-
fel! Woo Kens Iss Ehr Tzwei
Moh! What does it say? It's
Pennsylvania Dutch and it
means "Where there's money
there's the Devil! Where
there's no money there are two
devils!"

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A most interesting booklet
called "The Incredible Tree",
written by H. G. Lash, has
come into our possession, and
we would like to share it with
all lovers of the forest. This is
just a portion of the first part
called 'Magi'.

The tree is one of the great
gifts of a Creator ever-mind-
ful of the welfare of mankind.
It conserves the soil, protects
it, and adds to its fertility. It
tempers the cold of winter, the
heat of summer. It lessens the
violence of the gale. It helps
man to build his shelters, to
furnish them, and to give them
warmth. It provides clothing
for his body, food for his sto-
mach, medicines to cure his
ills and ease his pain.

From the tree comes pig-
ments that please the eye and
win the artist a livelihood. The
sculptor carves in wood as in
stone. There could be no sym-
phony orchestra with the tree.
Through paper, to which men
commit thought, knowledge is
shared and the mind enriched.

Motor cars move on wheels
sheathed with a product of the
tree. The most popular of all
ice creams, vanilla, may be
flavoured with a by-product of
the tree.

The tree is one of the Magi
of man's universe. Its gifts are
many, its flavours manifold. It
has always been so and if man,
its trustee, is faithful to his
obligations, it will continue to
be so.

Where the tree dwells, man
has a chance to live a bounti-
ful, happy life. Where there
are no trees, life is as barren
as the landscape.

Give thanks for the tree.
And in giving thanks, grant
it the mercy of protection...

With the permission of the
author, we intend to quote
from time to time and dedi-
cate it to members of Lands
and forests, who have Canada's
great trees in their safekeep-
ing, and do such a wonderful
job in all departments under
their jurisdiction.

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Here is "Fall Fashions In
Plums", from Department of
Agriculture, and we feel the
writer has a touch of the art-
ist.

Fall plums, with their rich,
glowing colors inspire many of
the beautiful tones used in mi-
lady's fall fashions. Though
plum colors range from pale
gold and green to deep red and
dusky purple, it is in Septem-
ber that the meaty, flavorful
blue plums dominate the Can-
adian market. The largest of
the blue plums is the Grande
Duke followed by the Stanley
and Italian Prune. All have
yellow flesh and purply-blue
skin. The small blue Damson
plum is very tart and bitter
and is excellent for jam mak-
ing. The small Green Gage is

popular for both commercial
and home canning and for
jams.

Ontario and British Colum-
bia are the largest producers
of plums in Canada.

Ah! Pale gold and green to
deep red and dusky purple...
just some of the jewels in
Canada's autumn crown!

x x x

Have you seen the prizewin-
ning designs for a new Cana-
dian Flag? There were three
shown.. 1 a Japanesey Rising
Sun Type, another a batch of
balls on a red ground, and the
third beauty a red maple leaf,
abstract yet! on a white ground
...and these are prizewin-
ners! Since it's a free country,
Thank God, we can express our
opinion. We don't need a an-
other flag...the one we've had
all these years is perfectly
good enough.

You think it doesn't repres-
ent Canada's mixed bag of cit-
izens? Let Canadians or a
group from another country
go to Russia, or South America
to make their home, and tell
their adopted country the flag
isn't representative, and see
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SPORTS

WITH BOB BEENEY

Vern Richardson of Kitchener posted a score of thirty-one at the Beaverbrook Golf Course on August 29 while playing with Ron Wood, owner of Pine Ridge Lodge at Miners Bay and Jack Fraser of Montreal. This was the lowest score to be carded on nine holes breaking a record of thirty-two that was established a few years ago. Mr. Richardson is an amateur golfer who takes great pains to improve his golfing game and plays each shot carefully. He shot four birdies and an eagle throughout the nine holes and finished off the ninth hole with a perfect twenty foot putt. On a course like the Beaverbrook to card a thirty-one the golfer has to be a terrific putter.

While on the subject of golf I must mention the fine work done by Glen Whitebread of Toronto who is a summer employee of the Dominion Hotel in Minden for winning the Lakeside Golf Tournament held at West Guilford recently. There were forty-four entered in the tournament and Glen shot a 36-34 for a total of 67 counting his handicap of three. Mr. Farrett who posted a 38-35 with a handicap of six tied Glen for first; however after playing an extra play-off of nine holes Glen came out on top. He was awarded a trophy that had been presented to the Golf Club by Mr. Sisson. Oille Bixby last years winner was placed third.

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Bill Walker of Ingoldsby hooked a twelve and a half pound trout a couple of weeks ago in Lake Kashagawigamog which made his total for this year over the sixty fish mark. Bill always seems to lead the list for catching fish in this area year after year. Just last week he and a friend Bill Hurst of Toronto travelled to Temagami for trout and pickerel fishing. At the time of writing they are still away so I don't know what luck they had.

★ ★ ★

Congratulations to the victorious Minden Merchants who knocked the boys from Haliburton out in four straight games. The Minden lads take on the team from Snowdon and by the time this column is printed the series could be over.

NOTICE

Monday, September 30th

is designated as

CIVIC HOLIDAY

for the Municipality of
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G. BIBBY, Clerk.

VETERAN BUS DRIVER RETIRES

Patrons of Algar Coach Lines, Lindsay to Haliburton run will miss its senior driver GARNET SEDGEWICK who made his last run Sunday, 25 August.

Garnet was seen at his new position as assistant caretaker at Haliburton High School on Monday morning where he looks forward to an entirely new way of life.

The Sedgewick family have always been active in the field of public transportation. His father is a retired CNR conductor and an uncle, also retired, was a station agent, for many years at Nobel for the CPR.

Garnet was an efficient and popular bus driver, but admits a bus lacks the glamour of rail-roading and decided to make a change after more than twenty years on the road between Haliburton and Lindsay.

Asked how many miles he had covered on his regular run, Garnet replied, "That's a good question, it must be up in the hundreds of thousands."

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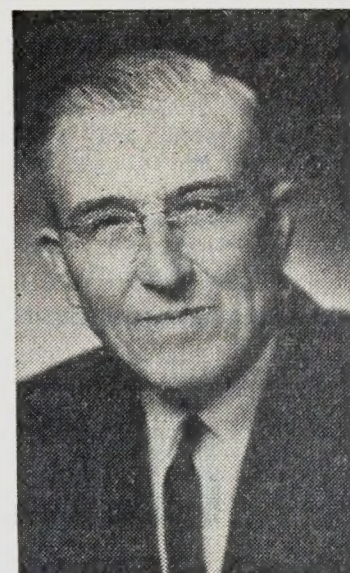
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1. AN AGRONOMIST, to get the most out of his crops;

2. AN ENGINEER, to choose the right equipment;

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7. A PSYCHOLOGIST, to keep the hired help happy;

8. A FARM MANAGEMENT EXPERT, to plan the farming, not only this year but for all the years to come.

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10 A HUSBAND AND FATHER, to comfort and keep his family;

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"Another example of a decision he must make: Thirty

acres of harvesting left and three custom jobs promised, the weather just right for combining. A main part of the combine breaks. He can repair it himself for about \$100 but would have to await delivery of the parts and then spend his time fixing it.

It's an old combine and only a matter of time until another breakdown. He hasn't the ready cash and wonders about approaching the bank manager for a loan to buy a new one. This calls for an immediate answer — any other businessman can usually ponder such a step for a month or so.

"So, August is an especially good time of the year to treat your husband with patience, understanding, loyalty and love. Give him your special attention, fuss over him a little, make treats to bolster his morale. Have the children take over small, tiresome jobs to relieve him wherever possible. Above all else, don't nag."

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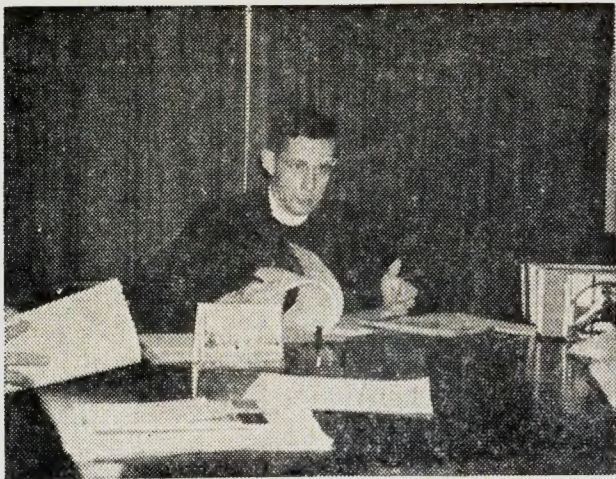
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News and Views

from the Minister's Study

Now that Labour Day is past the summer is more or less officially over and the pressure which has been building up since the Twenty-fourth of May weekend, begin to ease off. I gather that for most this has been one of the busiest seasons ever. So the opportunity to take things a little easier will be all the more appreciated. May I suggest that you take this also as an opportunity to get started back to your church. Just as our weary bodies need rest and relaxation after a busy summer so our tired spirits need the refreshment and renewal of worship.

At a Presbyterian Planning Conference here in Minden during the early part of the it was pointed out by a neighbouring minister that the churches of this area never a "normal situation" in which to carry on their programmes. This is very true. It is not long after Easter until people begin to be busy on the weekends and the tempo increases steadily until the first of July and carries until after Labour Day. Even then there are folk tied up with their business on to Thanksgiving. Increasing numbers of people are taking their holidays in Florida during the winter months. This is wonderful, but it does play havoc with the groups and activities of our churches. While I would not want to see this situation changed, it is important, if our churches are going to carry on effective work, that people start back to groups and services as soon as possible in the fall.

From talking with Sunday School Superintendent of Minden United Church, Mr. Les Prentice, I learn that Rally Day will be observed on Sunday School executive this coming

week to plan for this open service to which parents and friends are invited.

During this week past United Church Chaplains from colleges and universities across Canada have held a retreat at Matabanick Inn on Boshkung Lake. Under the direction of Dr. Harold Vaughn, the Secretary of the Board of Colleges and Students of the United Church and a well-known summer resident in the Carnarvon area, the retreat had such able leadership as the Very Rev. Matthew Black, D.D., principal of St. Mary's College, Glasgow. It concluded with the service of Holy Communion in Zion United Church, Carnarvon.

Christian Education, which was once regarded as synonymous with the Sunday School, has come to be recognized as the total educational task of the church. In order to co-ordinate this work a Christian Education Committee was formed by the Session of the Minden U. C. a little over a year ago, consisting of representatives from all organizations and

committees in the congregation. Dormant until after the Every Family Visitation of last autumn and winter gave a picture of the needs and resources of the church, the Committee will be brought into full action this coming year. One of its biggest jobs will be preparing for the entire new curriculum materials to be introduced in 1964 all across the United Church. To do its work effectively the committee will need to feel free to call upon the support of every church member.

On Sunday, September 22nd the guest preacher at Minden, Maple Lake and Carnarvon United Churches will be the Rev. J. K. Braham, minister of Trinity United Church Bobcaygeon. Mr. Braham was the special speaker at the closing service of our Vacation School and was well received by all who heard him. I, in turn, will be in the pulpit of my home church in the morning of that day and preaching at the Anniversary Service of my father's home church in the evening.

Our regrets go out to our new brother of the cloth, Mr. Goodswan, at the unfortunate illness which came with the end of his holidays. Our prayers will be with him for a speedy and through recovery.

THE AGE OF AUTOMATION:

We read that a deacon in a church across the border has invented a new kind of collection box which he recommends as a cure for small offerings. When you put in a nickle it will ring a bell, when you put in a quarter it rings the bell three times. When a penny is dropped in the box it fires a shot, and when you fail to put anything in, it takes your picture.

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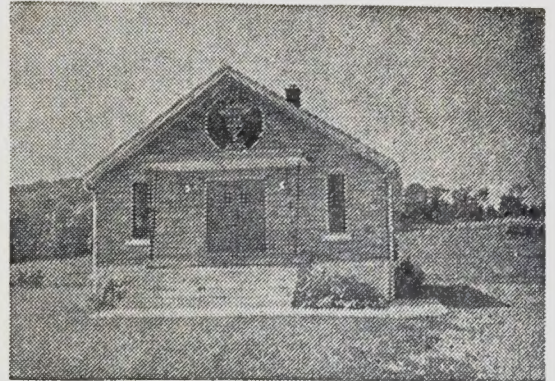
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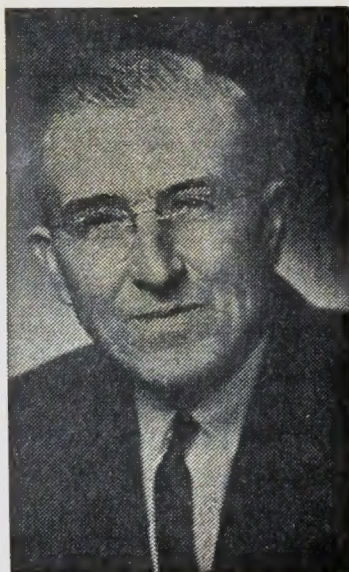
The Time Has Come!

The time has come, the Liberals say,
To put an end to the people's dismay.
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Amongst the Redness,
I saw a White Poppy grow.

How could a pure white poppy
grow
In a garden pure with roses
sweet?

All things are possible
In this world, Friend — all
things.

I see goodness in the roses,
As the bees and pollen gather-
ers gather;

Even so, a bird alights on the
Line
Awaiting its crumbed meal,
Which I throw gladly, for my
heart
Sings at the warm smell of
earth.

I am at peace, momentarily,
In this Garden of my Friend.

Though circumstances rail
At my Reason, I walk quietly
Holding council with the
winds,
Watching signs in the skies
above.

This Garden with its flowered
beauty,
I regard as Holy...its gate
shuts out
The nagging persistence
Of circumstances for the
nonce...

I close my ears to the daily
din,
Whilst contemplating the
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Here are a few 'howlers' from the classroom comedians. Daniel Webster was a noted oracle. He should not be confused with Noah Webster, a King from the Bible who reigned for 40 days and 40 nights.

x x x

Lent is a period of fast ones before Easter.

x x x

It was Nathan Haley who said: "I only regret that I have but one life to lose for my country." This has come to be known as the famous Haley's comment.

x x x

A circle is a straight crooked line... (More next time.)



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On Labour Day, a two car collision on the Minden Bypass caused one person to be treated in Minden Red Cross Hospital for severe bruises to face and arm.

Mrs. Evelyn Evans, 63, of Toronto, wife of one of the drivers, George Evans, was treated at Minden hospital, the other driver was Eric Thayer, 52, of Haliburton, said police.

On the same day, Duncan Preston, 18, of Brantford and Fred McColman, 17 also of Brantford were the drivers involved in a two-car collision on a side road off Highway 35 near Johnson's Go-Kart track. Police said that William Preston of Brantford lost two teeth and was treated at the hospital for minor cuts and bruises. Damage was estimated at about \$700. Constable S. D. Elliott investigated.

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READERS ASKS:

"Where Has The Summer Gone"

Dear Sir,

Every year about this time, we sing the same old song, "Where has the summer gone?"

Do you remember the Public School Reader with its poem "The Melancholy days are come, the saddest of the year?" Many of us owe not compelled to get back home in time for school stay on at the cottage for a few extra days but even though the bright late summer days are gorgeous, with clear sunny skies, the extra blue shade of the lakes and the quiet, nearly abandoned waterways, when night falls, the feeling of melancholy becomes evident. The odd light shining from the cottage of a large hanger-on only serves to make the absence of others more noticeable and the sound of outboard motors passing which may have been slightly annoying earlier in the summer would now make a welcome sound. A brief but apathetic revival will come again with the weekends but when Labour Day arrives it just seems as if the summer has ended in spite of the fact that we still have many pleasant days before Fall sets in.

How long will it be before we in the summer resort areas get smart and agitate for a change? Let us organize and promote the idea of Labour Day being set for the 2nd Monday in September and thereby gain an extra week of summer life and activity in an area where the tourist season is all too short.

Ralph Percy,
Miner's Bay

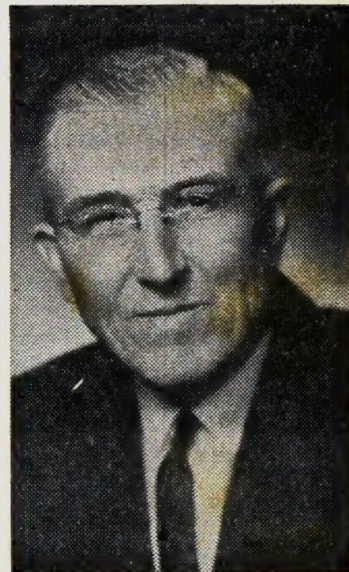
THREE-PARTY CAMPAIGN STARTS

With nomination conventions completed, candidates Glen Hodgson for the Progressive Conservatives, S. C. (Cliff) Benson for the Liberals and Ross Gruer for the New Democratic Party have started campaigning for the provincial elections on 25 September.

Glen Hodgson promises a "vigorous but clean" campaign; Cliff Benson said "I am prepared to fight vigorously", and Ross Gruer claimed "Every effort will be made to provide the people of this riding with the progressive policies of the NDP."



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